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FORMALITIES LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$450 for a Small Entity

- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

FE GEE TRANSMITTAL	Complete if Known			
	Application Number	10/815,989		
for FY 2004 Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.	Filing Date	March 31, 2004		
7.7	First Named Inventor	LAWSON, Darryl		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Examiner Name			
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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 450	Attorney Docket No.	022141-000100US		

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
Check Credit Card Money Order Other None		ITIONAL F	EES			
Deposit Account:	Large	Entity	Small	Entity		
Deposit Account 20-1430	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Number .	1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65
Deposit	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
Account Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
Name	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
The Director Is authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filling fee to the above-identified deposit account.	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
FEE CALCULATION	1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month .	
Large Entity Small Entity	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
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Code (\$)	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 385 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filling fee	1402	330 ·	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403 [.]	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
CUPTOTAL (4)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)385		1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive – unintentional	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Fee from	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
Total Claims 16 -20** = 0 X\$9 = \$0	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Independent	1807	50	1807	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
Multiple	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Dependent	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$) Code (\$)	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection	
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20			0015	005	(37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3 1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810	770	2810 [°]	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1204 86 2204 43 *** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)0	Other fe	e (specify)				
**or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see above						
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SUBMITTED BY Complete (if applicable)							
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In re application of:

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Application No.: 10/815,989

Filed: March 31, 2004

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER –
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING

PARTS

August 11, 2004

Attn: Mail Stop Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, dated June 14, 2004, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration;
- 2) Executed Power of Attorney;
- 3) Information Disclosure Statement and Form SB08; and

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4) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts

Please charge Deposit Account No. 20-1430 for the following fees:

Small Entity:

(a)	Filing Fee	(§	1.16(a)) ((Small	Entity)
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\$385

(b) Excess Claims Fees (§ 1.16(b), (c)):

$$16 - 20 = 0$$

$$x \$9 =$$

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(d) Missing Parts Surcharge

\$65

TOTAL FEES TO BE CHARGED

\$450

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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